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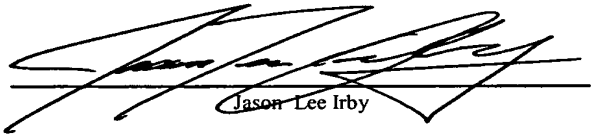
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Markus Gross et al.
 Serial No.: 09/918,005
 Date Filed: July 30, 2001
 Group Art Unit: 2661
 Examiner: Phan, Tri H.
 Title: **METHOD FOR REAL-TIME COMMUNICATION BETWEEN A NUMBER OF NETWORK SUBSCRIBERS IN A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM USING ETHERNET PHYSICS, AND A CORRESPONDING COMMUNICATION SYSTEM USING ETHERNET PHYSICS**

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed September 19, 2005, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and requests favorable action thereon.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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